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1. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
2. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.
3. **A Clean Courtesy Copy** of the amended independent claims 1 and 2 is included as Attachment A (pages 17 and 18 of this paper).
4. **A Rule 131 Affidavit and Exhibit** are included as Attachment B.

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- 3) Amendment and Response (18 pages) including Affidavit Under 37 CFR 1.131... (3 pages) and including Exhibit A (cover letter and brochure) (5 pages)

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